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T O P S E C R E T 241933Z SEP 71 CITE [REDACTED]

PRIORITY [REDACTED] INFO WECEN

ANNEX-H (WEATHER)

OPORD 3-71 (SCOPE SAINT)

1. WEATHER SUPPORT WILL BE PROVIDED BY WECEN USING [REDACTED]

MESSAGE FORMAT FOR U-2R DEPLOYMENT/REDEPLOYMENT 19 THRU 27 OCTOBER 71 (EDWARDS AFB [REDACTED] AND RETURN). A DAILY FORECAST WILL BE FILED IN [REDACTED] FOR PLANNING LOCAL TRAINING MISSIONS FROM [REDACTED] GRID AREA WILL BE FORWARDED IN [REDACTED] WHICH WILL BE SENT PRIOR TO DEPLOYMENT. ALL MESSAGE TRAFFIC PERTAINING TO THIS OPERATION WILL BE SLUGGED SCOPE SAINT.

2. [REDACTED] WILL BE FILED NLT 12 HOURS PRIOR TO DEPARTURE FROM EDWARDS AFB AND [REDACTED] AMEND NLT 6 HOURS BEFORE TAKEOFF. THESE FORECASTS WILL COVER THE ENTIRE ROUTE FROM EDWARDS AFB [REDACTED] THE FOLLOWING TERMINAL FORECASTS WILL BE INCLUDED:

3. CLIMATOLOGY:

A. GENERAL: DURING OCTOBER THE RELATIVELY FLAT PRESSURE GRADIENTS OF SUMMER GIVE WAY TO THE ACCELERATED AIRFLOW PATTERNS OF

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WINTER. TEMPERATURES STEADILY DECLINE AS THE FREQUENCY OF POLAR OUTBREAKS INCREASE AND THE AMOUNT OF AVAILABLE SUNSHINE DECREASES. THE CLOUD TYPES CHANGE FROM PREDOMINATLY CUMULIFORM TO STRATIFORM. BRIEF PERIODS OF LIGHT RAINFALL CAN BE EXPECTED ON 15 OR MORE DAYS.

B. CLOUDS: ALTHOUGH BROKEN TO OVERCAST CONDITIONS PREVAIL IN THE AREA MORE THAN 50 PERCENT OF THE TIME, CLEAR CONDITIONS (0-3/10 CLOUD COVER) CAN BE EXPECTED IN THE AREA OF

 ON THREE TO FOUR DAYS OF THE MONTH.

C. TERMINALS: CEILINGS AND VISIBILITIES ARE EXPECTED TO EXCEED 1500 FEET AND/OR 3 MILES BETWEEN 50 TO 60 PERCENT OF THE TIME

 AND BETWEEN 60 TO 70 PERCENT OF THE TIME

LESS THAN 500 FEET AND/OR 1 MILE CAN BE EXPECTED 15 PERCENT OF THE TIME AND 12 PERCENT OF THE TIME

D. ACCUMULATED WIND FACTORS AND TEMPERATURES: THE FOLLOWING FIGURES APPLY TO 60,000 FEET:

WIND FACTORS

TEMPERATURES

MEAN/90 PCNT WORST (KT)

MEAN/90 PCNT WARMEST (C)

22/11

M61/M56

26/13

M56/M50

24/15

M59/M53

M26/M39

M56/M50

M33/M34

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